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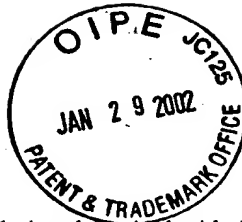
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In Re Application of:

FULLER et al.

Serial No.: 09/421,778

Group Art Unit: 1632

Filing Date: 19 October 1999

Examiner: Q. Nguyen

Title: MINIMAL PROMOTERS AND USES THEREOF

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The following extension of time is requested in order to file a Response to the Office Action mailed 20 July 2001.

X Three months to 20 January 2001. The extension fee is \$920.00.

X Charge \$920.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0828.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR Sections 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0828.

Respectfully submitted,

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